

the Department of Commerce to be sold in the United States at less than fair value (LTFV).

### Background

The Commission instituted this investigation effective August 20, 1996, following receipt of a petition filed with the Commission and the Department of Commerce by the Ad Hoc Committee of Open-End Spun Rayon Yarn Producers, Gastonia, NC.<sup>3</sup> The final phase of the investigation was scheduled by the Commission following notification of a preliminary determination by the Department of Commerce that imports of open-end spun rayon singles yarn from Austria were being sold at LTFV within the meaning of section 733(b) of the Act (19 U.S.C. 1673b(b)). Notice of the scheduling of the Commission's investigation and of a public hearing to be held in connection therewith was given by posting copies of the notice in the Office of the Secretary, U.S. International Trade Commission, Washington, DC, and by publishing the notice in the **Federal Register** of April 7, 1997 (62 FR 16606). The hearing was held in Washington, DC, on August 12, 1997, and all persons who requested the opportunity were permitted to appear in person or by counsel.

The Commission transmitted its determination in this investigation to the Secretary of Commerce on September 22, 1997. The views of the Commission are contained in USITC Publication 3059 (September 1997), entitled "Open-End Spun Rayon Singles Yarn from Austria: Investigation No. 731-TA-751 (Final)."

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By order of the Commission.

**Donna R. Koehnke,**

*Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

### Immigration and Naturalization Service

[INS No. 1873-97]

#### Freedom of Information Act Users Conference: Meeting

**AGENCY:** Immigration and Naturalization Service, Justice.

**ACTION:** Notice of meeting.

**Committee Holding Meeting:** Immigration and Naturalization Service, Freedom of Information Act and Privacy Act Program.

**Date and Time:** September 29, 1997, at 8:30 a.m.

**Place:** The Renaissance Washington DC Hotel, 999 9th Street, NW., Washington, DC, telephone number: (202) 898-9000.

**Status:** Open.

**Purpose:** The Immigration and Naturalization Service (Service) will hold a Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) Users Conference as a part of its renewed commitment to improving openness and responsiveness to the public. The purpose of the conference will be to open communications between the Service and its FOIA user community, to explain alternatives for access to Service information, and to obtain FOIA users' views for improving the process.

**Summary of Agenda:** The principal purpose of the meeting is to set forth the mission requirements of the Service and the types of records available from this component. Additionally, we want to obtain the views of the users. The agenda for the conference will include:

1. Registration;
2. Opening remarks;
3. Comments from the Commissioner;
4. Overview of FOIA requirements;
5. DOJ's openness policy;
6. Mission requirements;
7. Questions/Answer Section.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Pursuant to our initiative to implement President Clinton's and Attorney General Reno's commitment to openness in government and improved customer service, the general public is invited to participate in this, our first conference. This conference is open to the interested public, but limited to the space available. Persons wishing to attend should notify Gladys Glover at least 5 days prior to the conference by written notice to Immigration and Naturalization Service (FOIA/PA), Attention: Gladys Glover, 425 I Street, NW., Washington, DC 20536 or calling (202) 514-1722. Those wishing to fax their response to this notice may do so at (202) 514-4310.

Any member of the public may file a written statement with the Freedom of Information Act Office before the meeting of topics for discussion. Pending requests will not be discussed during the conference.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Mildred Carter, Freedom of Information Act and Privacy Act Program Specialist, Immigration and Naturalization Service, ULLICO Building, 2nd Floor, 425 I

Street NW., Washington, DC 20536, Telephone (202) 514-1722.

Dated: September 23, 1997.

**Doris Meissner,**

*Commissioner, Immigration and Naturalization Service.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

### Office of Justice Programs

#### National Institute of Justice

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#### National Institute of Justice Solicitation for the Forensic DNA Laboratory Improvement Program, Phase 3

**AGENCY:** Department of Justice, Office of Justice Programs, National Institute of Justice.

**ACTION:** Notice of Solicitation.

**SUMMARY:** Announcement of the availability of the National Institute of Justice's "Solicitation for the Forensic DNA Laboratory Improvement Program, Phase 3."

**DATES:** The deadline for receipt of proposals is close of business on December 15, 1997.

**ADDRESSES:** National Institute of Justice, 810 7th Street, NW, Washington, DC 20531.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Dr. Richard M. Rau, National Institute of Justice, at (202) 307-0648. For a copy of the solicitation, please call NCJRS at 1-800-851-3420. For general information about application procedures for solicitations, please call the U.S. Department of Justice Response Center at 1-800-421-6770.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The following supplementary information is provided:

#### Authority

This action is authorized under the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968, sections 201-3, as amended, 42 U.S.C. 3721-3 (1994).

#### Background

The purpose of this solicitation is to provide funding to State and local governments to develop or improve the capability to analyze deoxyribonucleic acid (DNA) in State and local forensic laboratories. This program is authorized by the DNA Identification Act of 1994 (Pub. L. 103-322).

<sup>3</sup> Firms comprising the membership of the Ad Hoc Committee of Open-End Spun Rayon Yarn Producers consist of Burlington Madison Yarn Co., Greensboro, NC; Carolina Mills, Inc., Maiden, NC; National Spinning Co., Washington, NC; and Uniblend Spinners, Inc., Union, SC.